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Bijou Tonight

PERSONAL AND LOCAL

M. L. Opdycke went to Myrtle Creek this morning.

A. Wylberg went to Portland Sunday on a business trip.

Miss Catherine Miller spent Sunday at Medford with her parents.

J. H. Meade left Sunday morning for North Bend, where he will work in the ship yards.

Fred McIntyre went to Bray Sunday to resume work for the Bray Lumber Company.

O. S. Brown came down from Glendale this morning to attend to professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Taylor, of Medford, are spending the day with Rev. and Mrs. Robert Leslie.

P. Hershberger returned to Bray this morning after spending a few days with his family.

J. G. Riggs returned to Montague this morning after spending the holidays with his family.

Rev. Melville T. Wire went to the agate beds near Agate this morning to spend the day.

A. B. Cornell went to Portland today to attend the annual convention of Oregon Life representatives.

M. D. Lingo, of Junction City, spent a few days in the city with relatives, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Arant, of Klamath Falls, visited on Thursday with Mrs. H. L. Green and family.

Rev. L. Myron Booser left this afternoon on a trip to San Francisco. He expects to return on Saturday.

J. W. Lucas spent Christmas with his family in Portland, and stopped off here to spend Sunday, leaving this morning for Montague.

Frank Wiseman returned today to Weed, Cal., where he will have charge of the crew at the Weed Lumber company's camp No. 2.

E. G. Holman went to Portland last night, accompanying the remains of Mrs. Margaret Doerner, which were taken to Portland for cremation.

O. E. Luis returned to Portland Sunday after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cook. Mrs. Lutz will return to Portland Wednesday.

John Dubois, engineer for the Grants Pass Irrigation district, returned Sunday from Portland, where he attended the Oregon Irrigation congress.

Mrs. Charles H. Day and daughter, Frances, of Portland, are visiting Mrs. Day's parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. Loughridge, while Mr. Day is making a business trip to New York.

Miss Ruth and Myrtle Tuttle left north Sunday morning, the former to take up her duties at the Good Samaritan hospital at Portland and at latter to resume teaching near Corvallis.

A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. John Wiltout, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wiltout, Dan Wiltout Jr., S. B. Green and Mrs. H. L. Green and two sons, Silva and McKinley, motored to Medford Monday. They returned in the evening of the same day.

Installing Charging Plant—
The Southern Pacific company is installing a storage battery recharging plant at the round house. Several years ago the company had a plant here, but it was later removed and batteries were sent to Roseburg for recharging.

Preaching at Free Methodist—
A. Dahuff, of the Methodist Protestant church, is preaching at the Free Methodist church this week at 2:30 and 7:30 each day.

E. A. Special Tomorrow—
Grants Pass Lodge, No. 34, A. F. & A. M., will have work in the Entered Apprentice degree Tuesday night.

Returning to O. A. C.—
Misses Helen Bobzien and Avis Knips, Lynn Sabin, Robert Jewell and Harold White left Sunday morning for Corvallis to resume their studies at the Oregon Agricultural college.

Honor Guard Meeting—
At the meeting of the Honor Guard tomorrow night the letters which have been received from the boys to whom comfort kits were sent, will be read. The first number of the Honor Guard Magazine will be distributed.

Hurt at Factory—
Oscar L. Smith, an employee at the sugar factory this morning stepped into a hole in the floor and was somewhat bruised, suffering also a slight concussion. He was taken to the hospital in an unconscious condition but after treatment of injuries he was able to walk to his home.

Special I. O. O. F. Tonight—
Called meeting of I. O. O. F. tonight. Members of Golden Rule Lodge No. 78 are requested to meet at 7:30 tonight to arrange for the funeral of Brother J. C. Taylor, which will be held Tuesday at 3 p. m. Members be at the hall at 2 o'clock Tuesday. By order of noble grand, S. M. Leonard.

Bethany Church Prospering—
Bethany Presbyterian church of this city, with Rev. L. Myron Booser, as pastor, enters upon the new year with every current expense bill paid. Aside from keeping up the regular expenses for the year, back bills from the previous year and other obligations to the amount of nearly \$500 have been paid. The benevolences of the church have also kept up to the standard set in years of greater prosperity.

ENLISTED MEN ARE NOW CUTTING AIRPLANE SPRUCE
Portland, Jan. 7.—Twenty officers and 371 enlisted men are now engaged in seven lumber camps in the northwest cutting spruce for government airplane construction. "The spruce working units are composed of men who have had experience in the lumber industry. They are working side by side with other timber workers to fill the deficiency of labor in the camps." This announcement was made Saturday by the bureau of information of the United States signal corps, commanded by Colonel Brice P. Disque.

GUATEMALA CITY IS AGAIN SHAKEN BY EARTHQUAKE
Washington, Jan. 7.—Guatemala City has been again visited by severe earthquakes and completely destroyed with great loss of life.

TOURIST BUSINESS TO BE DISCOURAGED

Washington, Jan. 7.—Much of the transcontinental passenger traffic to the Pacific coast is to be cut off despite the protests of Pacific coast business interests. It was stated at the office of Director General McAdoo today.

Protests have come to his office from the Pacific coast chambers of commerce and other interests stating that the tourist industry on which the coast cities have annually thrived should not be interfered with.

The attitude of Director General McAdoo and his advisory board is that tourist travel should stop if the winning of the war is delayed one hour by its continuance.

However, officials of the railroad administration are of the opinion that the transcontinental tourist travel will not have to be entirely cut off. The western railroads are not nearly so badly congested as those in the east. Many locomotives are to be brought east from the western roads to supply the lack on the Atlantic seaboard, but enough will remain.

"The American people must realize that we are at war and that business cannot be as usual and that pleasure and winter touring cannot be as usual," said Director McAdoo.

BORN

DE GROAT—To Mr. and Mrs. Walter DeGroat on Applegate, Saturday, January 5, a son.

WILSON—To Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wilson on Applegate, Monday, January 7, a 12-pound boy.

MARRIED

GLOVER-SOUTH—At Grants Pass Monday, January 7, Leon Glover of Weed, Cal., and Miss Evelyn South, daughter of Frank South, of this city, Rev. L. Myron Booser officiating.

The ceremony was performed in the presence of the bride's father and a very few intimate friends. The young couple leave tonight for their future home at Weed, where the groom has an important position with the Weed Lumber company.

DIED

TAYLOR—At his home in this city, Sunday morning, January 7, J. C. Taylor, aged 80 years and 17 days. The I. O. O. F. will have charge of the funeral, which will be held at the Adventist church Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Melville T. Wire of the Methodist church will preach the sermon.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincerest thanks and appreciation to the many friends for kindness shown during the recent illness, and for the beautiful floral tributes at the funeral of our beloved wife and mother.

A. S. BARNES, Sr.
A. S. BARNES, Jr.
MRS. C. F. ROUTLEDGE,
MAUDE BARNES.

COMING EVENTS

Jan. 7, Monday—Red Cross and Y. M. C. A. benefit in Chamber of Commerce rooms, 8 p. m.
Jan. 14, Monday—Meeting of circuit court.

JACKSON COUNTY FRUIT MEN WILL ADVERTISE PEARS

Medford, Jan. 7.—A movement has been launched here by Rogue river valley orchardists and directors of the Farmers and Fruitgrowers league, to consider a campaign of publicity regarding the consumption of the pear as an important article of food and a delicacy of the table. An extensive demand can be created by promulgation of education, according to the growers.

Joy Tonight

"The Social Leper"

10c and 20c

RAMONA TO BE SHOWN AT JOY JANUARY 8 & 9

The Medford Tribune has the following to say concerning "Ramona" which will be at the Joy Tuesday and Wednesday, January 8 and 9:

At the request of many of our patrons we have booked Ramona for a return engagement for tonight, Thursday, January 3.

"Ramona," the novel, is so delicate in its touch and so subtle in its psychology that no successful stage version of it was ever made, until W. H. Clue conceived and executed his idea of a photoplay to be exhibited at the Page theater.

The spectator of "Ramona" as reproduced by Mr. Clue, will see remnants of a vanishing race as they actually are, and not the "wild west" Indian as depicted by the general run of writers, or the more poetical creations of Fenimore Cooper. The wild west Indian of the popular imagination may be seen occasionally on the streets of New York, going to and from the Hippodrome, or some other playhouse, but never on the plains of California and Utah. The inventions of Cooper are forgivable in that he idealized the Indian into an artistic literary creature. Cooper's imagination was of the order of Sir Walter Scott's. Scott took the rough semi-savage Anglo-Saxons of the days of Richard I., and made of them knights and ladies such as haunt poets' dreams. Similarly dealt Cooper with the red savage of America.

TAKILMA

James Kitley returned from Grants Pass Thursday.

Charles Long returned to Happy Camp Monday, where he is contracting rock work with the Grey Eagle Mining company.

John Delair is laying off on account of cold and is gripped.

Kenneth Doyle was down from the Chicago camp Monday. He reports all doing fine.

Miss Daisy Croker returned from Albany Tuesday, and started her school again Wednesday, which was closed for the holidays.

Mr. Delano returned Wednesday from California, where he spent the holidays with his family.

Mrs. C. D. Trimble is spending a few days in Grants Pass visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clark were Grants Pass visitors this week.

Alvin Morey has been quite sick, but is reported some better at this writing.

The Ideal Fancy Work club met at the home of Mrs. Ed Strong on Thursday afternoon. The time was spent in fancy work and conversation. Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Mary Valen, Maggie McClay, Anna Ellis, Ben George, Ed Hannum, John Delair, C. D. Cameron, L. D. Corbett, J. E. Smith and hostess, Mrs. Ed Strong.

ILLINOIS VALLEY

Mrs. Irvin Phillips died at the home of her mother, Mrs. Wisecarver, near Holland, on December 29, after a prolonged illness. Mrs. Phillips came here from Arizona in September, and was aged 29 years. She is survived by her husband, two small sons, her mother and four brothers, Bert and Peter Caldwell, Arthur and William Caldwell of Arizona. She was laid to rest in Kerby cemetery on Sunday.

Henry Houck, who has been in Grants Pass for medical treatment is reported very much improved.

Mrs. Belle Skeeters, who suffered the paralysis of one side of her face is slightly improved.

Some mischievous boys, who should have known better set off a charge of powder which badly damaged the house belonging to Mr. Germond; he was absent at the time.

A dance was given at Spence hall on Saturday night which was well attended.

Alvin Morey is suffering from pneumonia at his home in Takilma.

The Payne school resumed studies after a week's vacation, with the addition of five new pupils on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sowell entertained a number of friends at their home on New Years, among the number being Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sowell and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hervey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kitterman and children, Mrs. Joe Skeeters, Everett Skeeters, H. B. Kitterman and Grandma Strong. A most enjoyable time was spent by all.

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QUESTIONNAIRES SENT NUMBERS 513 TO 542

Questionnaires were mailed on Monday, January 7, 1918, to the following named registrants. Order Numbers 513 to 542:

Russel Reid Wood.
Eugene Philip Bureau.
Henry Theodore Haberman.
Rollen Marian Humphrey.
Rollin Fred Gorham.
George Delbert VanDorn.
Victor Bailey.
Rodney Allan Calvert.
Milton Jones.
Nicolo Breschello.
Lloyd Ballington Johnston.
Robert Frederick George.
George Rikachi Takahira.
Harvey Earl Cross.
Masao Machizuki.
George Luther Pratt.
Arthur Able Wolverton.
Burnham Marshall Willhelm.
John Harding Denison.
Fritz Krauss.
James Elbert Tucker.
William Preston Hazelrigg.
Earl James Webb.
Harley Howard Britton.
Charles William Stielwig.
Lewis P. Stinebaugh.
Floyd Delos Sloan.
Alva Raymond Knox.
Charles William Gillette.
Elmer J. Howard.

The following named men have been delinquent in returning their questionnaires: Misaro Takora, Peter Miller, Ben Megum Kawabe, Charles McClellan, Sam I. Kuge, Hachiro Yoshino.

The following named registrants are reported to have enlisted in the army or navy, and the questionnaires of some have been returned unclaimed. The board desires some relative or accredited friend to appear at the office of the local board and make the affidavit required:

Burl Burnett Green.
Charles Bane Cross.
Harry Eugene Mitchell.
William Denison Holland.
Robert Melvin Gilliam.
Vergil Cleveland McKinney.
Daniel Emanuel Peterson.
Peter Miller.
Fred Jones Lovelace.
Arthur Frank Lincoln.
Thomas Brown Young.
Louis Levi Humphrey.
George Lloyd.
Claud Christie Martin.
P. Herman McPadden.
George Elliott Turvey.
Eugene Herber Kimball.
George Holland.
Ralph Haynes Conrad.
Ray Collen Stretchberry.
Alvah Newton Nipper.
Harold Patrick Thayer.
Edmund Hugh Horner.
Earl N. McCall.
John Barron Niday.
Richard Charles Jones.
Charles Henry Johnston.

Charity Marks the Man.
Our true acquisitions lie only in our charities. We gain only as we give. There is no bigger so detestable as he who can afford nothing to his neighbor.—Stimms.

The Horse and the Motorcar.
The other day a farmer boy with a load of hay pulled up before a crowd of men in Indianapolis.
"Where is the nearest blacksmith shop?" he asked.
Not a single man could tell him what he wished to know.
Then a dusty touring party from somewhere in America pulled up.
"A garage?" the driver started to query.
"Half a block down," answered half a dozen of the crowd in a chorus.—Indianapolis News.

Cards at the Courier office.

NEW TODAY

(CLASSIFIED AD RATES.—25 words, two issues, 25c; six issues, 50c; one month, \$1.50, when paid in advance. When not paid in advance, 5c per line per issue.)

FOR RENT—Bungalow on Evelyn Ave., third house from Sixth St. Alcazar combination gas and wood stove, sleeping porch. Inquire of Mrs. O. F. Braeger. 54

MOTORCYCLE and bicycle repairing, parts and repairs for Indian and Harley-Davidson, typewriter repairing and cleaning, saw gumming, Firestone and Diamond tires. Paramount Cyclery, formerly McIntyre's. 49tf

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER—Mrs. R. S. Bush, 109 North Sixth, phone 141-R. 4f

WANTED—Man with family of two or three boys to cut wood. Long job and gas engine to use. Address L. A. Elridge, Rd. 4, Grants Pass, Ore. 55

WANTED—A small sized second hand cook stove. State price. Address No. 23, care of Courier. 52

WANTED—To buy, a low iron wheeled truck wagon to hold about 3,000 lbs., 6-inch tires. Address Con Shaefers, Route 2, Grants Pass. 55

STAGE OFFICE REMOVES—The Grants Pass-Crescent City stage office has been removed to the former Observer building, corner of Seventh and G streets. Phone 26, residence, 286-J. 56

FOUND—Some money on Monday morning. Person losing same address No. 32 care Courier. 51

FOUND—Set of automobile side curtains. Evidently had been stolen and cached away. Owner may secure them at the Courier office. 52

CARS WASHED, cleaned and polished. Bring them in and get the mud off. Collins Auto Co. 56

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